

Revised: September 25, 2008

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
for the  
FOURTH MEETING  
of the  
LAND GRANT COMMITTEE**

**September 29-30, 2008  
Ballroom A, Student Union Building  
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque**

**Monday, September 29**

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| 10:00 a.m. | <b>Call to Order</b><br>—Senator Richard C. Martinez, Chair  |
| 10:05 a.m. | <b>Welcoming Remarks</b><br>—David Schmidly, President, University of New Mexico   |
| 10:30 a.m. | <b>Department of Transportation Issues (DOT) —Wildlife Crossings and Land Disposal Procedures</b><br>—Lawrence Barreras, Property Asset Management Director, DOT<br>—Rusty Parry, Assistant General Counsel, DOT |
| 11:15 a.m. | <b>Land Grant Studies Program Update</b><br>—Dr. Manuel Garcia y Griego, Director, Southwest Hispanic Research Institute   |
| 12:00 noon | <b>Lunch</b>   |
| 1:30 p.m.  | <b>Tour of UNM Library Archives Related to Land Grants</b><br>—Jacobo Baca, Research Assistant, Southwest Hispanic Research Institute  |
| 2:30 p.m.  | <b>Risk Management Division Proposed Legislation to Allow Liability Coverage of Land Grants</b><br>—Patrick Simpson, Risk Management Division  |
| 3:00 p.m.  | <b>Recommendations of the State Auditor's Task Force on Rural Accountability</b><br>—Hector Balderas, State Auditor  |
| 4:00 p.m.  | <b>Uranium Mining Leases—Cebolleta and Juan Tafoya Land Grants</b><br>—Jerry Pohl, Secretary, Cebolleta Land Grant Board of Trustees<br>—James Martinez, Juan Tafoya Land Grant                                  |

5:00 p.m.                      **Recess**

**Tuesday, September 30**

9:00 a.m.                      **Attorney General Response to the 2004 GAO Report "Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo: Findings and Possible Options Regarding Longstanding Community Land Grant Claims in New Mexico"**  
—David Benavides and Ryan Golten, New Mexico Legal Aid  
—David Thomson and Stephen Vigil, Office of the Attorney General

10:30 a.m.                      **Atrisco Heritage Foundation Organization and Functions**  
—Peter Sanchez, Director, Atrisco Heritage Foundation

11:15 a.m.                      **Bureau of Land Management—Rio Puerco Resources Management Plan (RMP) Revision Process**  
—Joe Blackmon, RMP Team Lead, Rio Puerco Field Office, BLM

12:15 p.m.                      **Lunch**

1:15 p.m.                      **Establishment of a Land Grant Bureau to Coordinate Federal and State Programs Affecting Community Land Grants**

2:00 p.m.                      **Public Comment**

2:30 p.m.                      **Adjourn**